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Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC). *The Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC) registration form is now live on OPGS' website. The GIRC provides technical assistance and information about resources that improve community services in the District of Columbia for its "customers" - District government, nonprofit, and faith-based representatives. The primary focus is to assist customers who either lack computer access or the knowledge to best use their existing computer technology to strengthen their organizations. The GIRC is open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 2 p.m.-4 p.m., by appointment only. For additional information call 202-727-8900. [Please click here to schedule an appointment.](#)*



Funding Alert: If you would like to post a **free event/resource announcement** in the Funding Alert, contact Pat Henry at pat.henry@dc.gov. All back issues of the funding alert can be found at www.opgs.dc.gov.

District Grants Clearinghouse: District agency grant opportunities are listed in the Funding Alert. These opportunities can be found on the Office of Partnerships and Grant Services website at www.opgs.dc.gov. All information that should be posted to the Clearinghouse should be sent to dcgrants@dc.gov.

State Single Point of Contact (SPOC): The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the DC SPOC. The application is available online on OPGS's website at www.opgs.dc.gov select State Single Point of Contact. If you need additional information call Pat Henry at (202) 727-0946.

Contracting Opportunities with the District of Columbia Government: If you are interested in business/contracting opportunities with the District of Columbia Government visit the Office of Contracts and Procurement website at www.ocp.dc.gov and follow these instructions: click on "Solicitation"; click on "List All Opportunities" and finally click on "Electronic Solicitations". For additional information contact Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov

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Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

Electronic Grants Clearinghouse

The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets are available for the following notices at: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse> .

District Agency	Funding Opportunity	Deadline
Department of Human Services	District of Columbia Homeless Youth Shelter Beds and Transitional Housing	July 20, 2015
	District of Columbia Youth Street Outreach Program	July 20, 2015
	Homeless Youth Drop-In Center	July 20, 2015
Department of Health	SNAP-Ed Nutrition and Wellness Education Services	July 17, 2015
	HIV Facility Based Housing Programs	August 3, 2015
	Effi Barry HIV/AIDS Capacity Building Program	July 29, 2015
	HIV/AIDS, Hepatitis, STD & TB Administration	August 10, 2015
	School-Based Health Center	August 14, 2015
Office of the State Superintendent of Education	Food Services for Persons Living with HIV/AIDS in the District of Columbia	August 10, 2015
	FY 2016 Pre-Kindergarten Enhancement and Expansion Grant	August 7, 2015

Additional Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

2015 Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis Outreach and Support (DOH). *Department of Health* announces funds to provide prevention services for men who have sex with men (MSM), transgender individuals and women in the District of Columbia. The release date for this Request for Applications (RFA) is July 24.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations and community-based organizations

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Deadline: 8/24/2015

Pre-Application Meeting Information: Pre-Application Conference will be held on Wednesday, July 29, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at 899 North Capitol Street, NE, 4th Floor, in the HAHSTA 4th floor conference room.

Funds: \$560,000 is available for three awards

Contact: Stacey Cooper at (202) 671-4900 or Stacey.Cooper@dc.gov

Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>

Grant ID: GD6068

Greening the Fleet (DDOE). *District Department of the Environment* announces funds to develop an inventory of current vehicles and create a comprehensive suite of strategies to help guide large fleets in the District of Columbia toward greater fuel efficiency and lower air emissions through the adoption of cleaner vehicles.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, faith-based organizations, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses and community-based organizations

Deadline: 8/10/2015

Funds: \$150,000 is available for awards

Contact: District Department of the Environment at greeningthefleet.grants@dc.gov

Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>

Grant ID: GD6077

Federal Opportunities

Aging Research to Address Health Disparities (HHS). *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to support aging research that addresses disparities in health, including preclinical, clinical, social and behavioral studies.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 9/17/2015

Funds: \$250,000 is available for four awards up to \$45,000

Contact: GrantsInfo at (301) 435-0714 or GrantsInfo@nih.gov

Website: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-15-293.html>

Grant ID: GD6072

Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants (NEH). *National Endowment for the Humanities* announces funds to support the planning stages of digital projects that promise to benefit the humanities.

Eligibility: State governments and State Educational Agencies

Deadline: 9/16/2015

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Funds: Awards are available up to \$75,000
Contact: ODH staff at odh@neh.gov
Website: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD6073

Expanding FDA's Produce Safety and Instructor Skills Training under the Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA) (HHS). *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to develop training and related materials/resources for those FDA and State/local regulators under the integrated food safety system that will be conducting produce farm investigations, and inspections under FSMA's new produce safety regulations and the second is to train regulatory subject matter experts on best practices for adult learning and instructor skills to deliver courses on the new FSMA regulations.

Eligibility: State governments, nonprofit organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline: 7/30/2015
Funds: \$2,000,000 is available for two awards
Contact: Daniel Lukash at (240) 402-7596 or daniel.lukash@fda.hhs.gov
Website: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD6074

Fiscal Year 2015 Homeland Security Preparedness Technical Assistance Program (DHS). *Department of Homeland Security* announces funds for activities that will prevent, protect against, respond to, and recover from major events, including threats or acts of terrorism with the goal of achieving the National Preparedness Goal by furthering its collective efforts to remain a safe and secure nation.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 7/22/2015
Funds: \$525,000 is available for awards up to \$275,000
Contact: GMD-Systems-Branch at GMD-Systems-Branch@fema.gov
Website: <file:///C:/Users/pat.henry/Downloads/fy15%20hsptap%20nofo%20final.pdf>
State Single Point of Contact: This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgs.dc.gov/spoc.asp> for further information.
Grant ID: GD6075

Foundation Opportunities

Breast Health Outreach Program. *The Avon Foundation* announces funds to support programs that will link medically underserved women and men to breast health education and screening services.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations and hospitals
Deadline: 8/21/2015
Funds: \$2,000,000 is available for awards up to \$60,000

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Contact: Avon BHOP Coordinating Center at admin@avonbhop.org
Website: http://www.avonbhop.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=39&Itemid=279
Grant ID: GD6069

Economic Literacy. *Calvin K. Kazanjian Economics Foundation* announces funds to support programs that raise public participation in economic education and/or create a demand for greater economic literacy.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 9/15/2015
Funds: Awards area available up to \$22,000
Contact: Calvin K. Kazanjian Economics Foundation, Inc. at director@kazanjan.org
Website: <http://www.kazanjan.org/grants/apply>
Grant ID: GD6076

Social and Economic Justice Programs. *Unitarian Universalist Association: Fund for a Just Society* announces funds to support programs that use community organizing to bring about systemic change leading to a more just society and mobilize those who have been disenfranchised and excluded from resources, power, and the right to self-determination.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 9/15/2015
Funds: Awards are available up to \$15,000
Contact: Susan Adam at (617) 971-9600 or uufunding@gmail.com
Website: <http://www.uufunding.org/fund-for-a-just-society.html>
Grant ID: GD6071

Sustainable Agriculture and Environmental Initiatives. *Cedar Tree Foundation* announces funds to support programs in the areas of sustainable agriculture, environmental education, and environmental health. Letters of Inquiry are required.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: No deadline
Contact: Cedar Tree Foundation at info@cedartreefound.org
Website: <http://www.cedartreefound.org/apply.html>
Grant ID: GD6070

Additional Funding Resources and Announcements

Data Spotlight Awards. Raise DC announces its Data Spotlight Awards for organizations, schools, and local education agencies that are using data in innovative and impactful ways around educational outcomes. Ten awards are available up to \$10,000. Washington, DC-based nonprofit organizations, public schools, public charter schools and local education agencies are eligible. For more information visit <http://www.raisedc.org/spotlightawards> or contact Gretchen Wieland at gwieland@raisedc.org.

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HumanitiesDC "Who's A Washingtonian?" Grant. Humanities Council of Washington, DC is announcing its Who's A Washingtonian? You are invited to attend a grant information workshop to help you prepare a successful grant application if you have a project that brings two groups of Washingtonians together to spark interesting dialogue around a humanities-related project. Using the humanities disciplines as lenses, these projects will help Washingtonians better understand the ties that bind them such as music, literature, history, religion, and language. Applications are due on August 7. For more information and to register visit <http://www.wdchumanities.org/waw/>

Mandela Day of Service – Call for Volunteers. The D.C. Mayor's Office of African Affairs (MOAA) is looking for volunteers to support the Mandela Day of Service. Inspired by former South African President Nelson Mandela's life and 67 years of public service, MOAA will launch its first-ever Annual Mandela Day of Service in the District of Columbia on Saturday, July 18, 2015. This program is designed to promote community building, public service, and civic engagement between the District's African communities and their fellow Washingtonians. During the Day of Service volunteers will conduct a street clean-up and debris removal at Good Hope Marketplace in Ward 7 located at the intersection of Alabama Ave. & Naylor Rd SE from 9:00am to 1:00pm. For additional information visit <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mandela-day-of-service-call-for-volunteers-tickets-17311854222>.

Previous Funding Resources and Announcements

Free Home Internet for Low-income DC Families. Connect.DC, the District's digital inclusion program, is partnering with EveryoneOn, Byte Back, and the United Planning Organization to provide six months of free home Internet service (\$60 value) to 500 DC families with school-aged children. This project is designed to help low-income children use technology to succeed in school. For more information visit <http://connect.dc.gov/free-internet>.

SAVE THE DATE - Monday, September 28th The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services in Partnership with the Center for Nonprofit Advancement will host its 15th Annual Public Private Conference entitled, "The Nonprofit Sector Significance as a Pathway to the Middle Class" at the **Kellogg Conference Center on the Campus of Gallaudet University on Monday, September 28th from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.** The conference theme focuses on the significance of the nonprofit sector as a major employer that according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics represents the highest percent 26.6% on nonprofit employment by State in the country followed by New State at 18.1% in 2012. The District's nonprofit sector is often viewed as a service provider seeking funding rather than a major sustainable employer whose employees are well positioned to succeed on the Pathway to the Middle Class. For more information contact Lafayette Barnes or Pat Henry at 202/727-8900.

In-Kind Capacity Building Grant Opportunity. The Taproot Foundation announces its in-Kind Capacity Building Grant opportunity. The grant will provide professional consulting services, called Service Grants, through their Service Grant Program. Every Service Grant is provided pro bono by a team of 5-6 business professionals who volunteer their time and expertise to help a nonprofit in their community. Their project provides nonprofit organizations located Washington DC with the tools and services they need to strengthen your organizations and serve your communities. Their teams deliver excellent services, customized to meet the organizations specific objectives and help them advance its mission. Deadline to submit an application is September 1. For more information visit the Taproot website at <http://www.taprootfoundation.org/get-probono/get-service-grant>

How to Utilize AmeriCorp Members - Serve DC- the Mayor's Office on Volunteerism will offer 5 seminars to help organizations learn how to utilize AmeriCorps members to leverage the impact in their community. You can learn how to utilize AmeriCorps members to leverage your organization's impact in the community. AmeriCorps engages more than 75,000 Americans in intensive service each year at nonprofits, schools, public agencies, community and faith-based groups across the country. Since the program's founding in 1994, more than 900,000 AmeriCorps members have contributed more than 1.2 billion hours in service across America while tackling pressing problems and mobilizing millions of volunteers for the organizations they serve. Serve DC is offering organizations the F.R.E.S.H. Summer of Service Seminars to expand your organization's capacity to be a part of the AmeriCorps experience. For more information contact Pamela B. Weinberg at pamela.weinberg@dc.gov or (202) 727-7937.

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Youth Service Day Planning Grants. Youth Service America (YSA) is announcing its Global Youth Service Day Lead Agency Program Planning Grants. Youth Service America is a resource center that partners with organizations committed to increasing the quality and quantity of volunteer opportunities for young people to serve locally, nationally, and globally. YSA's Global Youth Service Day Lead Agency Program offers organizations support to lead high-impact, high-visibility youth service activities and celebration events during Global Youth Service Day, April 15-17, 2016. Lead Agencies will receive a planning grant of \$1,000 to \$3,000 funded by State Farm, capacity-building training, and other resources. Typically, Lead Agencies are local, regional, or statewide nonprofit organizations with a focus on youth development and positive community engagement. Nonprofit organizations are eligible to apply. The application deadline is July 31, 2015. Visit the YSA website at <http://www.ysa.org/gysdleads2016>.

Monroe E. Trout Premier Cares Award. The Monroe E. Trout Premier Cares Award was established to recognize exemplary programs that have made health services more accessible to a specific medically underserved population. The award honors innovative programs that support people excluded from or underserved by the mainstream health delivery system, including farm workers, homeless children, pregnant teens, low-income mothers and infants, and individuals who don't have the strength or means to reach a clinic or hospital. The winning program must be able to show measurable benefits/outcomes covering a full two-year span and must be capable of being replicated. The Premier Cares Award is not a grant for future work, rather it is a recognition award for work already accomplished in the past. The award winner receives \$100,000 and the other five finalists receive \$24,000 each. The entry deadline is July 31, 2015. For more information visit [Award Information](#)

The Home Depot Foundation: Community Impact Grants Program. The Home Depot Foundation Community Impact Grants Program provides support to nonprofit organizations and public service agencies that are using the power of volunteers to improve the physical health of their communities. Proposals for the following community improvement activities will be considered: repairs, refurbishments, and modifications to low-income and/or transitional veteran's housing or community facilities (schools, community centers, senior centers, etc.); weatherizing or increasing energy efficiency of low-income and/or transitional veteran's housing or community facilities; engaging veterans as volunteers to help other veterans in their community through service projects focusing on the renovation, repair, and improvement of homes and other properties serving veterans; and planting trees or community gardens and/or landscaping community facilities that serve veterans. Priority will be given to projects for veterans that include housing repairs, modifications, and weatherization work. Grants of up to \$5,000 are made in the form of The Home Depot gift cards for the purchase of tools, materials, or services. Deadline for applications is September 1, 2015. For more information visit <http://homedepotfoundation.org/page/applying-for-a-grant>.

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